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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 105, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to administrative leave for public employees.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 105, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new 2 section, to be known as section 105.264, to read as follows:

105.264. 1. As used in this section, the following words shall mean:

- 3 (1) "Administrative leave", time off without charge to any annual 4 or sick leave or loss of pay due to misconduct or investigation of 5 misconduct of an employee;
- 6 (2) "Employee", an individual who is employed by a department 7 or division of the state, agency of the state, instrumentality of the state 8 or political subdivision of the state, or school district;
- 9 (3) "Employer", any department or division of the state, agency 10 of the state, instrumentality of the state or political subdivision of the 11 state, or any school district.
- 2. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, an employer may place an employee on administrative leave, but if the employee is placed on such administrative leave for a period of more than thirty days, the employer shall suspend pay or charge any accrued annual leave or sick leave.
- 3. Within three days of being placed on administrative leave, an employee shall be advised in writing the specific reason or reasons for being placed on administrative leave.